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In re Patent Application of:
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For: BOTTLE CAN MEMBER, BOTTLE, AND
THREAD FORMING DEVICE

Examiner: S. A. Weaver

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated December 14, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows. A Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time accompanies this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.